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RE: NPRM-PR Docket 92-235

Dear Sir or Madam,

Please save our Radio Control (R/C) channels!

I am an avid hobbyist that flies radio controlled helicopters and planes. My three sons and I enjoy this hobby, and would suffer if we had the severe restrictions in our channel use as you propose.

This activity is the kind of challenge that helps me keep my thirteen year old son focused on clean living and out of drugs.

Having the selection of channels you propose would make it unsafe to fly, since their could be mobile stations interfering with two thirds of the channels currently in use. If we have to choose from fewer channels, there will be a greater chance of two people using the same channel. A plane in the air could suddenly go out of control and possibly hurting someone. The danger this situation poses for my children and me is currently low. However, if the proposed changes are made, the danger will go up greatly.

Everyone I know in the R/C hobby derives great pleasure and stress release from flying. Since many people who fly are retired, there will be many more people flying R/C in the future. This could further increase the risk of accidents as a result of the proposed channel changes.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

